

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Operations and Practices of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. (U-177-W), and its Owner/Operator, Danny T. Conlin; Notice of Opportunity for Hearing; and Order to Show Cause Why the Commission Should Not Petition the Superior Court for a Receiver to Assume Possession and Operation of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. pursuant to the California Public Utilities Code Section 855.

Investigation 03-10-038
(Filed October 16, 2003)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
INDICATING INTENT TO TAKE OFFICIAL NOTICE**

I have received a copy of the California Department of Health Services' Notice of Violations, attached hereto as Attachment A, dated January 28, 2005, and sent to Danny and Delores Conlin, as owners of Conlin-Strawberry Water Company. I desire to take official notice of this notice under California Evidence Code § 452(c) & (h). Before doing so, I am providing the parties with a reasonable opportunity, under Evidence Code § 455(b) to "meet such information" before official notice is taken of Attachment A.

IT IS RULED that any party seeking to comment on whether official notice should be taken of the contents of Attachment A shall file and serve comments on or before Friday, March 11, 2005.

Dated March 7, 2005, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ JOHN E. THORSON

John E. Thorson
Administrative Law Judge

ATTACHMENT A

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail, and by electronic mail to the parties to which an electronic mail address has been provided, this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Indicating Intent to Take Official Notice on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated March 7, 2005, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KE HUANG

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N O T I C E

Parties should notify the Process Office, Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2000, San Francisco, CA 94102, of any change of address to ensure that they continue to receive documents. You must indicate the proceeding number on the service list on which your name appears.